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UTILIZATION ADVISORY BOARD

Minutes of Meeting Held in
DCI Conference Room, Administration Building
Central Intelligence Agency, at 1000, 14 February 1957
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Chairman

MEMBERS PRESENT OR REPRESENTED

Lt. Colonel Byrd Sargent, Office of Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence,
Department of the Army

Colonel William L. Walker, Directorate of Intelligence, Headquarters,
Department of the Air Force

Captain George M. Clifford, Office of Naval Intelligence, Department of the Navy
National Security Agency

[REDACTED] Office of Director of Security, Central Intelligence Agency
[REDACTED] Officer, Central Intelligence Agency
[REDACTED] Foreign Intelligence Staff, Central Intelligence Agency
[REDACTED] Subject HTAUTOMAT, Central Intelligence Agency

OBSERVERS

Major Jack Nabors, Directorate of Intelligence, Headquarters,
Department of the Air Force

Lieutenant Jerry M. Mize, Office of Naval Intelligence, Department of the Navy
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1. Minutes (UAB-M-2)

The minutes of the meeting of 6 December 1956 were approved.

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2. The Board noted that Colonel [REDACTED] would be the National Security Agency member vice [REDACTED]

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3. The interim actions of approval for the Board by the Secretary for utilization of TALENT material were noted, including approval for ACSI to consult with [REDACTED] on 15 January 1957 and for OSI/CIA to consult with Drs. [REDACTED] on 14 January 1957 in connection with the [REDACTED] problem.

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4. Agenda item 4, Review of Utilization Criteria for TALENT ELINT, was deferred until the next Utilization Advisory Board meeting, at the request of the Air Force member.

5. The Board approved the proposal for the DDP/CIA to prepare reports based on TALENT material, but attributed to other sources, for regular dissemination outside TALENT Control Channels so that unique and significant TALENT information will be available to appropriate analysts within the intelligence community. It was emphasized that requests for such DDP/CIA support should be submitted only in cases where the TALENT information is highly significant from an intelligence point of view. Such requests should be addressed to the Secretary of the Utilization Advisory Board for forwarding to the TALENT Control Officer, DDP/CIA.

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a. The Board approved the proposal in principle, i.e., adoption

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b. It was suggested that the select group of consultants to be convened for the [REDACTED] problem might be granted TALENT clearances, thereby eliminating the need for a cover story. The Chairman asked that each member discuss the proposal with appropriate persons in his Agency and report their views to the Board.

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7. The Navy member requested approval for FICELM to dice in TALENT material on photographic prints on six selected areas of the Middle East for planning and operational purposes. The Board disapproved this request, since the dicing in is easily recognizable. However, the Board approved an alternate suggestion of blowing up existing TALENT photography after removing all TALENT labels for the purposes stated above.

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8. There being no further business the Board adjourned at 1105 hours.

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Acting Secretary

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